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## MEXICAN BANDITS MURDER FIFTEEN AMERICANS

**Official Confirmation of the Massacre  
of Mining Men Received.--Villa Men  
Charged With Crime**

(Special to The Herald)

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 12.—From telegrams that reached American and British officials and friends and relatives of the murdered men, gruesome details were learned of the massacre of unarmed citizens of the United States. They prove that the massacre was one of the most heinous of the hundreds that have marked the course of the revolution in Mexico. Dragged from the train on which they were enroute to resume mining operations in western Chihuahua, the passengers from the Carranza officials at Juarez and Chihuahua, the Americans were stripped of their clothing, clubbed, bayoneted and otherwise abused, and then their bodies were riddled with bullets and left lying beside the tracks near Santa Isabel. According to official messages received here by the American authorities, General Villa in person led the squad of soldiers who held up the train just after it had passed the patrol post at Kilometer No. 65 and went through the train, at the head of his men searching for all American passengers. As fast as the Americans were found they were ordered

out of the train and those who were slow to obey the command to get off were stabbed in the back and thrown bodily off of the cars. The massacre occurred about four o'clock Monday morning. Most of the Americans were asleep when roughly awakened and hustled out of the train. Every protest they made was met with curses and jabs of the bayonet. To make certain that no Americans escaped, the Mexicans went through the train twice and when assured, they got off and completed their bloody work.

Thomas Holmes was the only foreigner on board who escaped death. As far as could be learned from the advices which reached here today, two versions of his escape came to El Paso, one that he hid in a lavatory on the train where he heard the cries of the victims as they were put to death; the other said that he was at the end of the line of prisoners, but dashed away as the command to fire was given and escaped the shots fired after him. That other passengers on the train numbering about fifty and

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## AUSTRIANS DENY SINKING THE PERSIA

**Official Statement Made to State Department Today--Suggest it Was a Mine**

(Special to The Herald)

Washington, Jan. 12.—Austria assured the United States today that no Austrian submarine was responsible for the sinking of the British liner Persia with the loss of two American lives. Following receipt of instructions, the Austrian charge went to the state department and filed the formal

denial. The charge stated that the Austrian Admiralty had received word from every one of its submarines and none were in the vicinity where the Persia was sunk and none saw the P. and O. liner. The Austrian government suggests that either a mine or an internal explosion was the cause of the loss of the liner.

## MRS. MOHR'S RIVAL ON THE WITNESS STAND

**Emily Berger Tells Story of  
Shooting of Dr. Mohr  
and Herself.**

Providence, Jan. 12.—With the eyes of Mrs. Elizabeth P. Mohr fastened on

her face, Miss Emily Berger, whose rival she was supposed to be, took the stand in the Mohr trial this afternoon and told the story of the shooting of Dr. C. P. Mohr and herself on the Washington road on the night of Aug. 3. In a voice heard through the court room she said: "I heard the chauffeur in a loud voice say 'Oh, my God.' I turned around and saw the Doctor; he fell toward me on his left side. I felt something in my neck at the back of my car and I was shot twice. I fell over. I remember putting my hand up and remember the chauffeur dragging me across the road."

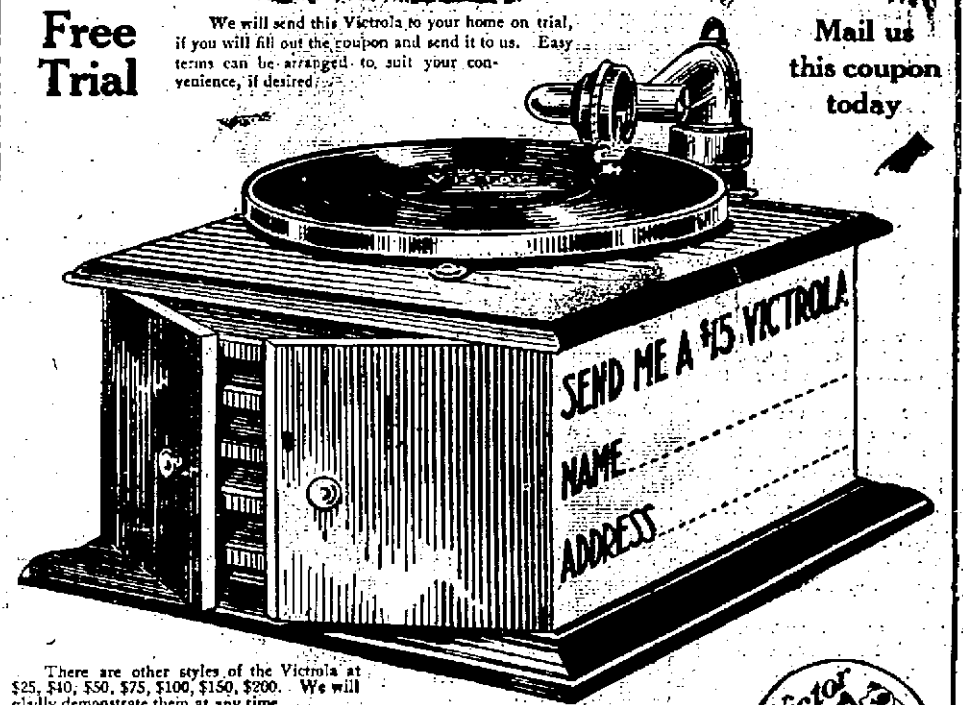
Throughout the testimony Mrs. Mohr sat motionless, seemingly unable to remove her eyes from the face of the

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# UNIVERSAL SERVICE TALK OF SCOTT AND GARDNER

## Former Speaks Before Committee in Congress and Gardner Addresses Meeting in New York For Enlarg- ing Army

Washington, Jan. 11.—Universal military service in some form in the United States, possibly the requirement that all men between eighteen and twenty-one be given at least six months training as a substitute for the volunteer system was discussed yesterday before the House Military Committee by Major General Scott, chief of staff of the army.

General Scott told the committee that the United States would need an army of nearly 2,000,000 men in the event of war. It developed during the hearing that there are more than 4,000,000 men in the country, between the ages of eighteen and twenty-one, and that 700,000 more reach the age of eighteen annually.

Short of a universal military requirement, General Scott thought the Administration's continental army plan offered the most workable solution of the nation's military problems. If the plan failed, he said, there was no escape from compulsory service.

General Scott disclosed that the War Department had prepared estimates for six big mobile coast defense guns of caliber probably greater than twelve inches, to be fired from railroad cars or mounted on their own carriages by motor trucks. He said he understood that many contracts held by American firms for ammunition and arms to be exported were now a year old with no deliveries because of the time required to equip plants. For this reason he favored constructing in advance all necessary gauges and tools to convert commercial plants to the needs of the American army in time of war.

The committee will resume its hearings next Wednesday with Major General Hines, assistant chief of staff on the staff.

Gardner Speaks for Compulsion  
"Compulsory military training is one of the first places of democratic necessity that has been put before the American people," said Representative Augustus P. Gardner of Massachusetts, speaking on preparedness before the National Security League in New York yesterday.

He suggested every American youth serve at least one year in either the land or sea forces as a means of increasing the army to 250,000 fighting men, instead of 115,000 as planned by Secretary of War Garrison and likewise increasing our naval strength.

"We ought to secure as quickly as we can the second place among the nations for our army, no matter what it costs," he said. "As a matter of fact, we should be in first place, but it is necessary first to get into the second place."

"In my opinion there is going to be something done," he said in referring to the Administration's defense plans. "But that would be rendered a certainty if the Administration would only come out and tell the people where we stand, whether the United States is first, second, third or fourth among the world powers. They tell us the army and navy are strong, but they should be stronger. Secretary Garrison is a patriot. I don't intend to drop monkey wrenches into his machinery, so I will refrain from making any criticism on his plan."

"There are only two ways by which we can get 250,000 men; first, by going into the labor market and paying the men more, and second, by giving greater chances of promotion to the enlisted men in the army."

He declared we cannot expect to have soldiers if we go on paying them only \$16 per month. In time of war no national guard officer "should" rank above major, he said. Representative Gardner characterized the confidential plan for an army as inadequate stating that he must have a good, reliable, national army.

Discussing figures relative to coast defense of New York he said he believed enemy warships could land at Rockaway without being hit by our guns.

### Warships Talk Across Continent

Flagships of the Atlantic and Pacific fleets were in radio communication yesterday across about 2500 miles of intervening land. The battleship Wyoming near Cape Henry, reported to the Navy Department that messages exchanged with the San Diego at Guaymas, Mex., were strong and easily read. Unusual static conditions probably made possible this conversation, the first of communication between the two fleets over such an extent of land never before having been accomplished. Improved apparatus recently installed on the big ships of the navy also added to the success of the test.

### Marines Rise for Hymn; Ejected

Because they insisted on standing up while the "Star Spangled Banner" was being played, and refused to sit down when ordered to do so by persons in the rear, two privates of the United States Marine Corps, in full uniform, were forcibly ejected from a local motion picture theatre.

A recent ruling by a justice of the District Supreme Court gives the management of a theatre the right to eject patrons under similar circumstances, and no official protest by the Marine Corps authorities will result.

Read the Want Ads.

## CLERGYMAN ASKS QUESTIONS ABOUT PREPAREDNESS

Some questions and answers on preparedness, of especial interest to clergy men, are found in the letter of a western pastor to Henry A. Wise Wood, Chairman of the Conference Committee on National Preparedness and the answer thereto.

"If you will kindly answer the following questions," wrote the clergyman, "it will help to clear up certain doubts in my mind."

"1. Where do the funds come from for all the printing bills and postage bills for this nation wide campaign for 'Preparedness'?"

"2. Will you kindly furnish me with a list of the names of the incorporators and present board of directors and officers of the Navy League? Elito the Army League?"

"3. Will you kindly tell me what large business and industrial concerns in this country are interested in this whole business of preparedness, and also the names of the gentlemen thus connected who are active in organizing 'The Security Leagues' throughout the country?"

"4. Will you kindly tell me why in your judgment the United States needs to increase the army or the navy? What enemies are we in danger of having to ward off?"

"5. The European states now engaged in war are fighting just because they were armed to the teeth and under the dominance of the military and naval establishments, professional fighting men who wanted war. Will you kindly tell me why so many Americans just now desire to utterly forsake the traditional policy of our fathers, that of having a small naval and military establishment, and plunge this nation into the same utter and wicked folly of armament that has brought Europe into trouble. Do you think it good and wholesome to increase the number of trained and professional fighting men in this country? Do we need their influence at Washington and throughout the nation?"

"6. Do you think it good to create a market in this country for our munition factories in view of the loss of the European market as soon as peace comes? Do you think it a wholesome influence just now for these gentlemen manufacturing gunpowder and guns and dreamthoughts to be engaged in working up public sentiment to that end?"

"7. If you will give me one good reason why I should use my pulpit where I preach to eleven hundred people each week for furthering this 'Preparedness' business, I shall be thankful. I am sincere and I hope I love my country, and I certainly believe in the principles of righteousness which Jesus taught and practiced, and yet I cannot as yet see where this campaign for preparedness, which looks like nothing less than a campaign to get America into the same dreary armament blunder that has caused Europe to fight, is a fit theme for the pulpit.

Yours sincerely,  
(Signed) Geo. E. Hunt,  
Christ Presbyterian Church,  
Madison, Wisconsin.

"Reverend Sir:—  
I take great pleasure in answering these questions."

## OKLAHOMA, OUR NEWEST GIANT SEA FIGHTER

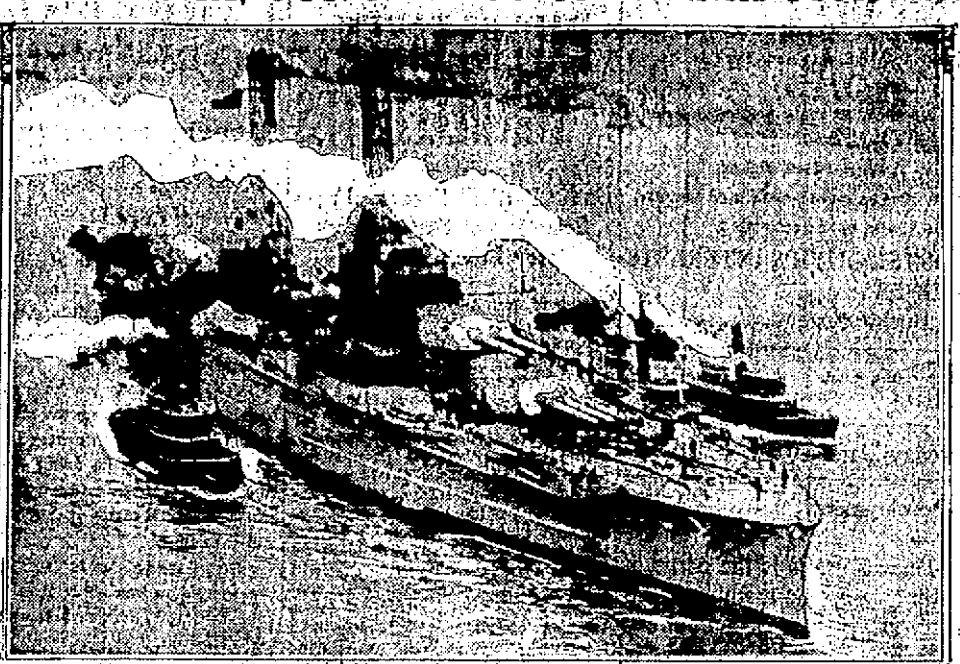


Photo by American Press Association.

The new superdreadnaught Oklahoma, which was recently completed at Camden, N. J., arrived at the Brooklyn navy yard to be made ready for an official trial trip off the coast of Maine. The giant fighting craft is still in the hands of her builders, the New York Shipbuilding company of Camden, and will not be turned over to the United States Government until she has successfully completed her trials. It is expected that she will be placed in commission within two months. She is to be dry-docked, cleaned and inspected before leaving for her trial trip. The Oklahoma is one of the most powerful warships afloat. She is a sister ship of the Nevada and has a displacement of 27,400 tons. She is expected to develop a speed of at least twenty-one knots an hour. Her main armament consists of ten fourteen-inch guns, carried three in a turret and two immediately above in a superfiring turret, and twenty-one five-inch guns. She also carries a battery of three pounders.

your very frank letter, for I appreciate the position in which you stand, and I trust that when you have completed your investigation you will feel it to be your duty, as well as your privilege, to give your moral support to the cause of preparedness which touches the very heartstone of every institution and every family.

"Answering your questions in the order in which they are given:—

"1. The funds, which the Conference Committee on National Preparedness has received, have been very small and have been contributed entirely by men who are interested in the work of preparing the nation against war. There are but two persons employed by the Conference Committee who receive any salaries, and the combined salaries of those two are so small as to be absolutely negligible. The principal part of the work of the Conference Committee is done entirely free of charge and entirely from patriotic motives.

"2. I am requesting the Navy League also the Army League, to mail to you direct the names of officers and directors of these organizations.

"3. As far as I know, there are no concerns interested in promoting preparedness for selfish reasons. The Conference Committee on National Preparedness has never received a contribution from any person directly or indirectly interested in the manufacture of arms or munitions of war, or who would be benefited in a commercial way by preparedness. The Security League has publicly stated on several occasions, through its president, that it has received no contributions from manufacturers of munitions of war, and has offered its books for the inspection of anyone who cared to investigate.

"4. The United States should increase its army and navy so that our present defenseless condition may not be an invitation to the marauding nations of the world.

"5. There is a vast difference between the armies of a king and an army composed of the citizens of a republic, and it is a mistake to assume that the nations are engaged in war because they were 'armed to the teeth.' Beautiful Belgium is a waste, Poland is a waste, and Serbia is a waste, and yet they were in a defenseless condition.

"The traditional policy of our forefathers is the very policy which, contrary to a popular notion, has given this country most of its years of war. The Revolutionary War, the war of 1812, and our Civil War, were all prolonged because we were unprepared. Had the United States been adequately prepared, had it been able to mobilize 20,000 trained and disciplined soldiers at the first battle of Bull Run, there would have been no Civil War costing half a million lives and approximately \$10,325,000,000. A trained army is even more necessary now than in a trained and disciplined police force.

"6. Your questions under this head seem to be based on the idea that the demand for preparedness comes from men who would be benefited commercially. In this I am sure you are misled. The demand for preparedness comes from men who have witnessed the break-down of moral rights overseas, and who have suddenly realized that we of the United States have been living in a fool's paradise and are now determined to raise such a barrier that the disease of war will not reach us.

"7. In answer to this question, I shall quote to you a statement just made, as printed in the New York Herald, by Rev. Herbert Shipman. He says:—

"I cannot imagine Jesus Christ in the uniform of a soldier and I cannot imagine Him sighting along a rifle barrel to send a bullet into a human heart, but neither can I imagine Him standing by with folded arms while a little child was beaten to death. I cannot imagine Him standing by while a woman is attacked by a lustful brute. Jesus Christ was a man, however much and more he was."

"Adequate preparedness not only makes for peace but in the hands of a righteous nation, such as our own, it insures peace and I believe it to be not only the privilege but the solemn duty of all of us to do what we can to retain the advance of spiritual and civil liberty that has thus far been made in this country.

"In closing I desire to direct your attention to the fact that our policy of unpreparedness instead of making for peace has invariably made for war and has invariably caused the needless slaughter of honest men, the destruction of beautiful homes and a waste of money which succeeding generations will have to bear."

## BOSTON LETTER

Boston, Jan. 11.—Milk freight rates in New England are to be made the subject of an investigation by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The hearing in the matter follows closely the completion of the investigation by the general milk situation in New England, made by the Boston Chamber of Commerce, at which time it was decided that one of the factors entering into the present high cost of milk is due to the cost in transporting it from the various points in New England to the different city terminals. The investigation conducted by the Chamber of Commerce under the direction of the Committee on Agriculture was wide in its scope. Hearings were held in many of the large cities and towns in the state, and farmers, transportation of

## MANY CASES OF RHEUMATISM NOW

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Distinctions, scientists, economists, statesmen and other leaders of thought in the Central and South American republics, who have been in Washington during the past two weeks attending the Pan-American Congress, will visit Boston this week. They will be the guests of the Chamber of Commerce at a dinner at the Boston City Club Saturday night. President Lippett of the Chamber will preside. Ninety-five delegates and 40 ladies constitute the party to visit Boston. The visitors will arrive Friday evening at 9 o'clock and will proceed to the Copple Plaza, where their headquarters will be Saturday morning (the guests will be greeted by the Mayor, who will all at the hotel for the purpose. The program for the two other days has not been made up.

### INCREASE IN WOOLEN WORKERS' PAY.

Woonsocket, R. I., Jan. 11.—Six mills in this city engaged in woolen and worsted weaving, and employing more than 2000 hands, announce an increase of 5 per cent in the wages of all their employees, this taking effect on Jan. 3. The mills are Lippitt and Montross Company, Dunn, Perseverance, Scotia and Barnard, the five latter being worsted concerns. Scarcely of help rather than business prosperity is the reason given for the increase.

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FOR PORTSMOUTH AND PORTSMOUTH'S INTERESTS

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Portsmouth, N. H., Wednesday, January 12, 1916.

## A Significant Development.

The Associated Industries of Massachusetts is the name of an organization just formed in that state. Its membership is composed of manufacturers, many of whom are leaders in the industrial life of the commonwealth, and its purpose is to guard against legislation which might prove more detrimental than beneficial. Massachusetts is constantly passing new laws, and tinkering old ones. Its legislature is in session about six months every year, during which time practically every interest in the state receives attention. It takes a wide-awake man to keep the run of this great mass of legislation; but the manufacturers are always posted on the laws affecting their business, for inspectors are constantly after them pointing out the requirements of the law and seeing that these are complied with.

The manufacturers do not object to reasonable laws and regulations regarding working hours and conditions, the safeguarding of employees, etc., but the law makers have gone so far in some directions as to place them at a disadvantage in competing with the manufacturers in states where the laws are not so exacting, and they feel that this thing must not go much further if the industries of the state are not to be materially injured.

The association announces that it has not been formed for the purpose of opposing the labor unions, as such, but it will oppose legislation which places needless burdens upon the industries of the state. It is recognized that legislation has its dangers as well as its benefits, and to guard against these dangers is the avowed purpose of the Associated Industries of Massachusetts.

And the manufacturers are going about this business in the right way. They have taken their position in the open. They are going to see that the facts in cases of interest to them are laid properly before the Legislature and the public, and they will depend upon public opinion for support.

Under all the circumstances there appears to be warrant for the existence of such an organization; regrettable as it is that there should be need of it. No industry and no class should be endangered by the law making body of any state, but in Massachusetts it is felt that there is danger, hence the organization of its industrial interests for protection against foolish or not absolutely vicious legislation. It is an interesting development and one that will be watched with interest far outside of Massachusetts.

## New Possibilities in Agriculture.

Under the direction of Mr. Carlisle of the New Hampshire Experiment Station, the possibilities in the raising of potatoes in this state has been brought to the attention of the farmer. Mr. Carlisle had direct charge of the work performed by boys and girls in the extension service and one lad has succeeded in raising over 39 bushels of potatoes on an eighth of an acre. If a boy can do that it means that an acre of land can be made to produce 318 bushels of potatoes and it is this class of agriculture which has made Aroostook county the richest farming section in the state of Maine.

Potatoes are a product which are used the world over and there has never been a time when they were a drag on the market. The experiment has shown that the New Hampshire soils are suited for this class of agriculture and it is possible that the work will be undertaken by some progressive farmers in different sections of the state this coming season.

Twelve car loads of cigarettes for the British soldiers have been delayed for some days at Savannah, Ga. And there are people who believe that such a cargo should be classified as munitions of war, albeit the cigarette is not so quick and savage in its action as the bullet.

Following the season of thin ice fatalities come reports of killings and maimings by the collision of "double-rippers" with telephone poles. There is always something to keep down the population and furnish work for the surgeons.

Mention of ex-President Taft as successor of the late Justice Lamar of the United States Supreme court will strike most people as more sensible than talking about him as a candidate for the presidency.

Henry Ford must now pay the penalty for his lavish expenditures in the interest of peace. Judge Ben B. Lindsey wants him to give \$10,000,000 with which to find homes for war babies.

Germany has established schools in the trenches. And in this country there are those who are advocating, practically, the establishment of trenches in the schools.

## NOMINATION PAPERS TAKEN FOR DELEGATES

Both Parties Secure From Secretary of State Necessary Filing Papers.

Concord, Jan. 11.—Secretary of State Edwin C. Benn today issued nomination papers to both the leading political parties for the coming presidential primary. George E. Fernald of this city, chairman of the Democratic state organization, took out a full set for his party and John G. At. Gossner, acting secretary of the Republican party, state committee, did likewise.

Today is the first day allowed candidates to file their names. It is understood that the Republican organization will file its slate practically as soon as possible and that its ticket will run unopposed. The Democrats will probably take a longer time to make up their slate and will file it in the afternoon of the 12th.

The Progressives have taken out no papers yet. William Savoy of Manchester, national Bull Moose committee man, is in Concord in attendance upon the meeting of the Progressive national committee, and upon his return later in the week, steps will probably be taken to frame a slate of delegates to the Progressive convention.

The question was raised today as to how alternates should be selected for the several delegates. The secretary of state has nothing to do with assigning alternate delegates. Alternates have to file their candidacies and go before the voters just the same as candidates for delegates, and the eighteen men in each party who receive the highest number of votes for alternate delegates are elected. If the delegate cannot act and needs an alternate, it is a matter for each delegation to determine as to which alternate shall act.

Mr. Fernald stated today that a logical course would be to designate informally the alternate who receives the highest vote as first alternate. Another plan should be to match up alternates and delegates at the beginning.

It is probable that the Democrats will follow the plan suggested by Chairman Fernald while the Republicans will stick to the old custom.

Some new names of candidates for Republican alternates have been mentioned today. Representative Alfred Stanley of Plymouth and Frank W. Maynard of Nashua are considered probable at-large alternates, the former for Mr. Fernald and the latter for Mr. Fernald and Mr. Fernald for his fellow-townsmen, William D. Swart of Nashua, Rep. William J. Carter of Portsmouth is talked of as the probable alternate for George B. Carpenter of Wolfeboro in the first district.

Ex-Congressman Albert W. Noon's candidacy for Democratic delegate-at-large is said to have been born of a letter he received yesterday from Congressman Richard Olney, 2d, of Massachusetts. The Massachusetts congressman wrote to the Portsmouth man that Senator Henry P. Hollis was strongly in favor of Noon as a delegate-at-large, and expressed the hope that Noon would announce himself. Mr. Noon followed the advice readily, to the surprise of Major James P. Brennan and some other Democrats.

## ANOTHER EXPLOSION IN POWDER MILLS

Third Within 48 Hours in the Dupont Plant.

(Special to The Herald)

Wilmington, Del., Jan. 12.—The third explosion in the plant of the Dupont Powder Company within forty-eight hours occurred early today. The blast took place in a building No. 47, of the Bagley yard plant. One man was injured but according to officials of the plant his wounds are not serious. The blast resembled the thunder of a battery of heavy artillery and shook the ground for many miles around.

Have you paid your subscription to the Army and Navy building fund?

## COUNTING THE CASH

January is count-up time with the storekeepers.

They take stock of things, balance the books, and try to see whether the figures are on the right side of the ledger.

They like to count up results in cash rather than in goods on the shelf.

Hence the tendency toward sales clearances and lower prices at this season of the year.

Lessened sales figures mean the merchant is paying a premium for cash.

And the same desire reflected in the advertising in this newspaper makes it profitable to you to read it.

## CURRENT OPINION

Cessation of War Will Not Menace Industries of America.

The countries now at war will undoubtedly be very close to financial exhaustion at the conclusion of peace and in order to restore matters to any semblance of normality will have to resort to taxation to an extent that will approach confiscation.

Capital will have to stand this burden, and the cost of production will necessarily be heavy. However, employment will have to be given to the hordes released from military duty, and whether the workers in factories will be called upon to bear their share of this burden in the form of reduced wages is highly improbable.

They have been too long accustomed to high wages and may even call for still higher wages on the plea of a higher cost of living caused by taxation. As most of the men returning to work have seen service under most strenuous conditions there is no doubt that their efficiency has been greatly impaired. In addition, factories will have to be transformed, new ones built—in short, the entire industrial fabric of the old world will have to be reorganized, and all this will take time.

Hence the opinion is expressed that no fear need be entertained as to the prospect of an immediate invasion of the industrial field in this country. —John E. Gardin, Vice President National City Bank, New York.

## FAVOR COMPACT BALL LEAGUE

Plan Practically the Same as Jake Morse Organized Some Years Ago.

A dispatch from Nashua says: "With the practical elimination of all this faction but Lowell from the present leagues, baseball men are getting interested in what would be practically the re-establishment of the old New England league. It was the rival of the New England league in the early '90s. The re-establishment of the league would be but the New England league repeated in history. The New England league has been down and out three times since it was first started.

This new league which is being worked for this section is planned to include Manchester, Concord, Nashua, Haverhill, Salem, Portsmouth and Dover or Keene. This plan might be shifted some but it is practically the same league that Jake Morse piloted as the New England association when he was at odds with the New England league officials.

With a low salary list, strictly adhered to and the smallest traveling expenses of any league in the east, run on business principles, it is considered by those who are endeavoring to further the plan. It is naturally waiting for publicity on the result of the merger of the two minor New England leagues. It is the general impression among baseball fans that with the two present leagues it is either a merger or no New England league. The finances and the outlook is not such as to encourage the New England baseball promoters in that league. So lines are being put out for a new league, practically in the Merrimack valley.

Portsmouth was represented in the New England league in 1888 and at that time it was an expensive luxury for some of our citizens.

## KITTERY POINT

Mrs. Samuel Hodgdon of Kittery visited her mother, Mrs. Susan Perry who is confined to her home by illness, on Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Bailey of Ferry Lane visited her sister, Mrs. George Colby on Tuesday.

George Payne of York was a visitor in town on Tuesday.

Miss Adelaide Bond who has been passing a few weeks in Boston, has returned to her home here.

Mrs. Martin Williams who is restricted to her home with the grippe, remains about the same.

William Mackney of Kittery was a visitor in town last evening.

Arthur Kimball is restricted to his home with a severe cold.

Contractor J. A. Phillips has charge of rebuilding the search light tower at Fort Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bryant of Boston are visiting relatives in town.

The many friends of Mrs. George Baker who is at the Portsmouth hospital will be pleased to hear that she has so far recovered as to be removed to her home here.

Scott Owen of Concord visited his summer home on Moore's Island on Tuesday.

Rev. Henry C. Do Long, a former well known summer visitor in this place, died on Monday at his home in Medford, Mass.

Evangelist Purman gave an interesting half hour talk to the children last evening before the regular service. If you hear him once you will want to again.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Wason passed Wednesday in Boston.

The many friends of Aileen Amie will be pleased to hear he is now resting more comfortable after his recent illness.

Dr. E. B. Shapleigh resumed his

## NAVY YARD NOTES

Naval Orders

Commander C. B. Price, Philadelphia

yard to the Asiatic station.

Jr. Lieut. A. R. Gibson, to naval

hospital, Washington, D. C., sick.

P. A. Surgeon J. R. Phelps, the

Connecicut, to the Ozark.

P. A. Surgeon R. B. Henry, the

Tennessee to the marine brigade,

Mayt.

Al Surgeon W. A. Finselson, the

Wharling, home and wait orders.

Paymaster T. J. Arms, receiving

ship at New York to connection fitting

out the Pennsylvania and duty on

board when commissioned.

Paymaster W. D. Sharp to the

Rhode Island.

Paymaster W. R. Downe, New York

yard to receiving ship at New York.

P. A. Paymaster H. E. Collins, to

New York yard.

Vessel Movements

The Bushnell has arrived at San

Francisco.

The Mearns at New Orleans.

The Mars at San Diego.

The Naushan at Tiburon.

The Neptune at Norfolk.

The Peoria at Key West.

The New Orleans has sailed from

Manzanilla for La Paz.

The Hatch from Norfolk to sea for

maneuvers.

The Cyclops is expected to sail from

Hampton Roads about the 15th in-

stant to join the Atlantic fleet. Upon

the arrival of the Vulcan at Hampton

roads about the 9th instant, the ves-

sels will load a cargo of coal and pro-

ceed to the New York yard.

THE BOYS' CORN SHOW.

The Boys' Corn Show will be held in Manchester, on Feb. 9 and 10, in connection with the 31st annual meeting of the Granite State Dairyman's Association.

The contest will be open to boys up to 18 years of age. The show will be divided into two zones, to be known as the northern and the southern zones. The northern zone will include Coos, Carroll and Grafton counties; the southern, Rockingham, Strafford, Belknap, Merrimack, Sullivan, Hillsboro and Cheshire. The corn must be the eight-rowed, yellow flint type.

The exhibits will be judged at this meeting; by competent judges and prizes awarded as follows:

In the northern zone, \$4.00 for first prize, \$2.00 for second, \$2.00 for third and \$1.00 for fourth place.

In the southern zone, \$1.00 for first prize, \$3.00 for second, \$2.00 for third and \$1.00 for fourth place.

A twenty-five dollar silver cup will be awarded to the boy exhibiting the best ten-row sample of flint corn. This cup is to be held one year. If the same contestant wins the cup two years in succession, it will become his personal property.

The Granite State Dairyman's Association will pay the express charges to and from Manchester on all samples of corn entered by boys who do not win a premium. Samples should be carefully packed and shipped to arrive in Manchester not later than 12 o'clock, Feb. 8. Mark the box plainly "Corn" and ship collect to Mr. E. L. Child, superintendent of exhibits, Manchester, N. H.

REPORT CONTAINS

VALUABLE INFORMATION

The Annual report of John S. B. Davis, commissioner of labor, contains a directory of the local labor unions of the state, valuable information concerning unemployment in New Hampshire, a list of industrial accidents reported by counties, causes of non-fatal accidents, and a directory of manufacturing establishments arranged by industries.

The Portsmouth Driving club is planning for another snow meet.

## DEMAND CHANGE IN MEXICAN POLICY

Senators and Representatives Aroused Over Murder of Americans.

(Special to The Herald)

Washington, Jan. 12.—Senator Sherman, Republican of Illinois introduced a resolution in the senate today calling upon the President to demand that Carranza give assurance of protection to American lives and property in Mexico, and failing to secure such assurance to invite all of the Pan-American countries to co-operate in an intervention to restore peace and order. The resolution declared that anarchy and murder prevail throughout Mexico and that the government seems to be powerless to check it. The senate referred the resolution to the committee on foreign affairs.

Washington, Jan. 12.—While administration officials were insisting that "snap judgment" should not be taken in fixing responsibility for the cold-blooded murder of 15 Americans and one Canadian by Mexican Villa soldiers, active preparations were being made today by senators and representatives to force a change in the President's Mexican policy. The story of the massacre, the worst in the history of blood-stained Mexico, so far as foreigners are concerned, stirred official Washington to its center. This feeling, so far as this government is concerned, was willing to allow whatever action would be taken to punish the murderers, created a sentiment of distinct hostility at the capital where Republicans and Democrats alike were demanding immediate action to punish the murderers.

At the White House, Secretary Tamm said the President "would await all positive facts before deciding on any change of policy." He also said, "there was no intention of issuing any statement dealing with the murder at this time. We do not have to assure the public that we will do our duty," he said.

A statement insisting that the state department had taken every possible precaution to protect American lives in Mexico and assuring the public that those responsible for the dastardly crime by Villa soldiers will be punished, was issued by Secretary of State Lansing this afternoon. Secretary Lansing was much disturbed over reports that the Americans who were slain were given assurance by a government official that they could proceed into Mexico, and he has ordered an investigation of these reports. He announced that no American official had been authorized to grant permission to Americans to go into the province of Chihuahua. He further said that while Carranza at the time he was recognized, had agreed to protect Americans throughout the Republic, he could not be expected to do so in sections held by the rebels. Until a reply is received from Carranza, nothing will be done; The bodies have been ordered shipped to the United States by special train.

Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire, immediately after the introduction of the Sherman resolution, read a telegram from Judge J. W. Holmes, only survivor of the massacre.

## SHELLS TAKE EFFECT IN VARNA

(Special to The Herald)

Athens, Jan. 12.—Russian warships again bombarded Varna, the chief Bulgarian Black Sea port, fifty shells taking effect according to information received here today.

## BRITISH STEAMSHIP FRAQUITIR SUNK

(Special to The Herald)

Leith, Jan. 12.—The British steamship Fraquitir, has been sunk by a submarine, the crew being saved.

RECEIPTS ARE DOUBBLE.

The receipts at the office of the commissioner of motor vehicles for motor car licenses during the month of December were \$22,907.88. For the month of December, 1914, the receipts were only \$15,382.50.

JOINT INSTALLATION.

A joint installation of the officers of Division 2, A. O. H., and the Ladies Auxiliary to the A. O. H., took place at Union Veterans' Union hall, on Tuesday evening. The installation ceremonies were followed by a social and the evening was greatly enjoyed by those present.

PROVINCIAL SYNOD MEETS AT ALBANY

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 11.—The annual provincial synod of New York and New Jersey and the missionary district of Porto Rico started here today and will continue three days.

Mayor Ladd will announce his conclusions at the meeting of the council on Tuesday evening.

## BOSTON & MAINE DOING BEST TO LIFT EMBARGO

Being Crowded With Freight by New York Central and Other Roads.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 11.—There is an embargo on freight into New England from this section. The Boston and Albany and Boston and Maine railroads are doing the best they can to handle the vast amount of business that is awaiting them from the New York Central and Delaware and Hudson railroads in this territory.

The Boston and Maine has been compelled to place an embargo on all freight into its territory except perishables. The New England railroads are confronted with an unusual situation. The New York New Haven and Hartford railroad was badly congested by snow storms in December and has hardly recovered. Much freight that would be routed over that line is consequently diverted to the Boston and Albany and Boston and Maine railroads.

New England's coal market is hard hit. None is coming by water from the Virginia fields because there are no bottoms to carry it, hence, coal is bought in the Pennsylvania and Ohio fields from which it has to be borne by rail.

The New York New Haven and Hartford railroad and the Central New England railway have issued to connecting lines an embargo notice which becomes effective on January 13 and supersedes all those previously issued. The notice reads:

"On account of the accumulation of cars and resulting congestion on New Haven rails and connecting lines, movement slow to and from all terminals, and for the purpose of relieving the situation as promptly as possible, embargo is placed upon all cargo and less than carload freight originating west of the Hudson river and north of the international boundary line destined to all points on or via the New York New Haven and Hartford railroad and Central New England railway except livestock, perishables, foodstuffs for human consumption feed for livestock, coal coke and petroleum products in tank cars."

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# AUSTRIANS ARE GAINING SLOWLY

## Reports From War Office State Forces are Pushing Back Montenegrins in Desperate and Costly Fighting

London, Jan. 11.—Montenegro, with a total population of less than a second class German or Austrian city, appears to be giving Austria a lively time. Aided by remnants of the Serbian army it is making the Teutonic army pay dearly for the slow gains that overwhelming forces made inevitable. The Montenegrin war office admits the evacuation of Herceg, an important town on the river Lim, the east bank of which to the north has been cleared of Montenegrins, according to Vienna. On the western frontier of Montenegro Austrian forces finally are winning successes against the defenders of Mont Lovren, an important height near Cattaro. The Cettinje government concedes occupation of two positions by the Teutonic forces in this section. Five from warships in the Bay of Cattaro, which the Austrians have been using as a base for raids, assisted in pushing the Montenegrins back.

Since the fall of Plevlje, Ipek and Djakovica, and until recent fighting on the Montenegrin frontier has been a comical campaign, the pursuit of the Serbian and Montenegrin forces being carried on by small detachments over unbroken ground, mountain slopes and wild valleys. On the other hand, the Montenegrin army in this region also broke up into guerrilla bands, and in consequence the first and even the second line of the Austrian German forces had to be continually in readiness for these bands seemed to be everywhere and to move with the rapidity of express trains. These Montenegrin detachments did not as a rule deliver surprise attacks for the sake of battle or to achieve military aims but to harass the line and destroy supply columns, and stores to bomb anything they came across. And in order to cause continual unrest. Now, however, a formidable Austrian army is at work and a determined attack is being made on Mont Lovren, the Montenegrin stronghold overlooking Cattaro Bay, by the guns of the Austrian fortress at Cattaro and Austrian warships lying in the Adriatic. The Austrian forces invading Montenegro extend over a wide front from the River Tara in the west to the Ipek district in the east. This invasion is causing great uneasiness among the Entente Powers, and especially Italy, which sees in its success an obstacle to Italy's dream of dominating the Albanian littoral of the Adriatic. The Italian newspapers in expressing the opinion that an Austrian success against Montenegro would give the invaders an incalculable political, maritime, commercial and strategic advantage, admit the fear that Italy's intervention in the Balkan campaign, like all of the Allied Balkan adventures has come too late. Austrian humanity in the conduct of submarine warfare is claimed by the official German news bureau. In the case of the Italian liner Porto Salto, sunk in the Mediterranean, last month with the loss of six passengers and one sailor, by an Austrian submarine, after the steamer tried to ram the submarine it is said the commander of the undersea craft compelled the captain of the line to save passengers when he left to drown.

### Italian Artillery Active

Rome, Jan. 11.—The following official statement from general headquarters was issued:

"Along the whole front the artillery action continues. The enemy made considerable use of heavy calibre guns, especially against Zugna, Tarta and Monte Spil, southeast of Rovereto and against Montebelluna, causing slight damage.

"On Saturday evening the enemy attempted an infantry attack on Monte Sief, near Col di Lana, but was promptly repulsed."

### Serious Check, Says Paris

Paris, Jan. 11.—The French official report of this afternoon stated that the German offensive undertaken on Sunday in Champagne by at least three German divisions was a complete failure. The Germans being driven out of all the positions which they had seized with the exception of a small rectangle to the west of Matons de Champagne. The statement is as follows:

"Between the rivers Somme and Oise our artillery has been active. An enemy detachment attempted to carry one of our positions in the section of Armentieres. In the region of Roye, it was repulsed by our fire. To the west of Soissons our trench guns destroyed

a depot of rockets in the neighborhood of Amettes.

"The latest information received from Champagne confirms the fact that our artillery fire, our trench defenses and our counter-attacks completely set at naught an important attack undertaken by the enemy, in which at least three German divisions took part. Counter-attacks and hand grenade fighting by our men during the past night drove the enemy from the outpost position he had occupied, with the exception of a small rectangle to the west of Matons de Champagne, where his small forces are maintaining themselves with difficulty. Our general fire, and in particular our artillery fire, inflicted very heavy losses on the Germans.

"Three of our aeroplanes, equipped with guns, engaged yesterday in several flights above the German lines near Dinard with enemy scouting aeroplanes of the Fokker type.

"One of our machines attacked by a Fokker machine had to descend, but an enemy aeroplane, attacked in turn by one of ours, which fired on it with a machine gun from a distance of twenty-five metres, was brought down. A third French machine also attacked another Fokker, which fell to the forest of Houthuile, to the southeast of Dinard."

### Russian Drive to Continue

London, Jan. 11.—According to every indication, the full in the Russian attack on the Hegeraplan front during the last twenty-four hours, is only temporary, despite advances in Berlin. Despite the enormous losses, which are estimated as far exceeding 30,000 dead or wounded, new forces are known to be moving with the purpose of re-forming the attacking columns and the resumption of the bitter assaults of the last few days is hourly expected. It is said many Cossack groups are reported as being sent to the front. Captured Russian officers declare that the Russian emperor visited Tarnobola, Galicia, on the eve of the offensive with the object of giving heart to his troops and delivered an order to break the Austrian line at all cost. The officers were assured that there were sufficient troops to accomplish this. The main attack thus far has been directed against a hill named Fort Ballin, in honor of General Planger Ballin, which the emperor personally ordered taken. As a result literally thousands of Russian died before the Austrian trenches or being "suspended" on the wire entanglements, the Germans claim. Battle regiments were wiped out, while the Austrian losses are declared to have been comparatively small. Not only was the artillery ammunition of the Russians almost exclusively of Japanese manufacture, but the rifles of the Russian captives were Japanese also.

### Vienna Reports a Lull

Continuation of comparative inactivity along the front in eastern Galicia and on the Hungarian frontier is reported by Austria-Hungarian army headquarters in the official statement received from Vienna. The statement says:

"In eastern Galicia and on the Hungarian frontier there has been no fighting of importance. Near Taboroz an enemy advance was repulsed."

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### NEW ENGLAND SHIPPING BOOM

Bath, Me., Jan. 11.—What is believed to be a big boom in ship-building is expected to take place here shortly. The sale by the New England Company and the adjoining plant of Arthur Sewall & Company has been reported. It is understood here that the Texas Oil Company has been negotiating for these two plants.

### PUZZLED

Hard, Sometimes to Raise Children

Children's taste is oftentimes more accurate, in selecting the right kind of food to fit the body than that of adults. Nature works more accurately through the children.

A Brooklyn lady says: "Our little boy had long been troubled with weak digestion. We could never persuade him to take more than one taste of any kind of cereal food. He was a weak little chap and we were puzzled to know what to feed him on."

"One lucky day we tried Grape-Nuts. Well, you never saw a child get with such a relish and it did me good to see him. From that day on it seemed as though we could almost seem him grow. He would eat Grape-Nuts for breakfast and supper and I think he would have liked the food for dinner."

"The difference in his appearance is marvelous. My husband had never fancied cereal foods of any kind but he became very fond of Grape-Nuts and has been much improved in health since using it."

"We are now a healthy family and naturally believe in Grape-Nuts."

"A friend has two children who were formerly afflicted with rickets. I was satisfied that the disease was caused by the lack of proper nourishment. The children showed it. So I urged her to use Grape-Nuts as an experiment and the result was almost magical."

"They continued the food and today both children are as well and strong as any children in the city, and of course, my friend is a firm believer in Grape-Nuts for she has the evidence before her eyes every day. Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time they are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

# GLASS OF WATER BEFORE YOU EAT ANY BREAKFAST

Wash, poison, from, system each morning and feel fresh as a daisy.

Every day you clean the house you live in to get rid of the dust and dirt which collected through the previous day. Your body, the house your soul lives in, also becomes filled up each twenty-four hours with all manner of filth and poison. If only every man and woman could realize the wonders of drinking phosphated hot water, what a gratifying change would take place.

Instead of the thousands of sickly, anemic-looking men, women and girls with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nervous wrecks," "rhumatics," "bilious fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

Everyone, whether sick or well, should drink each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasal breath, rheumatism, colds and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood, while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.

## RYE NEWS

A regular meeting of Seaside Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., was held in the town hall Monday evening, Jan. 10, at which time the degree work was conferred on a class of candidates.

Miss Sophia Pope of Rye Beach is to spend the rest of the winter season in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Renick of East Rye are rejoicing over the birth of a son, born last week.

Mrs. Haddon Hooper of West Rye was a Portsmouth visitor on Tuesday.

The members of the Seaside Literary Club were very pleasantly entertained by Miss Clara E. Parsons at the home of her brother, Thomas W. Parsons, on Monday evening, Jan. 10. Among those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. John P. Fraser, who gave a very interesting talk on their recent travels.

A great many of our townspeople are confined to their homes by severe colds. Mrs. Alice Jensen of Rye Beach left on Monday for Philadelphia to visit her niece, Mrs. Carl Carlson.

The Christmas pageant, "Bethlehem," which has been postponed several times on account of stormy weather, was given at the Christian church Sunday evening, Jan. 9, to a large and appreciative audience.

The manner in which it was presented reflects great credit on the ones who took part and also to those who had charge.

A Leap Year ball will be given at the town hall Monday evening, Jan. 17, by several young ladies who are making every effort to make it the event of the season and a pleasant evening is sure to be enjoyed by those who attend.

Mr. H. Russell Sawyer of Rye Beach left Monday, Jan. 10, for an extended trip south.

The newly formed club, the R. A. O. of C. H., held a meeting at their new clubhouse on the Lang road Jan. 8, and the following officers were elected and installed by Grand Deputy Gilman Walker, assisted by Col. Wilbur J. Marden, Ray Ross, president; Merton A. Drake, vice president; Philip Tucker, secretary; Wallace Rand, treasurer; Gay Caswell, corresponding secretary; Alvah Caswell, field marshal; Harry Odorine, plumber; Ralph Downs, janitor.

The Every Other Tuesday Club will hold a food sale and musical at the town hall Saturday afternoon, Jan. 15.

### UNDERWEAR INDUSTRY IS PROSPEROUS

Washington, D. C., Jan. 9.—Foreign underwear is no longer fashionable in the United States. The average buyer may have no very definite idea of the origin of the underwear he purchased at the store, but the fact that he no longer demands "something imported" is one of the significant and encouraging signs of the times. The total output of American-made knit underwear in 1909 was valued at \$44,436,000, according to statistics contained in a report on the subject just issued by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, whereas the imports of cotton knit underwear for the year previous to the war were valued at only \$32,000. Cotton underwear forms the bulk of

the imports of this class of wearing apparel.

The new report on the knit underwear industry is the result of a close study of the situation in this country by the Cost of Production Division of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, and it is the third of a series on the cost of producing wearing apparel prepared for the assistance of Congress when tariff legislation is being considered, the work of the Bureau in this respect being exactly similar to that of the old tariff board. The earlier reports were studies of the hosiery and underwear and the hosiery industries. As with the other reports it was the original intention to make a study of the conditions in the knit underwear industry in the principal manufacturing countries in Europe, but the war has made it impossible to carry out such a plan.

The knit underwear industry in the United States has had a rapid growth in recent years, the increase in output from 1909 to 1909 amounting to more than 70 per cent, and since 1909, although exact figures are not available, the growth has been fully as satisfactory. The industry scattered but a large proportion of the cotton knit underwear is manufactured in Utica, Amsterdam, and other places in the Mohawk valley in New York state. Cohoes, N. Y., is an important center for the manufacture of woolen knit underwear.

Sixty-three establishments were covered by the Bureau in its study of the industry, and these concerns reported capital employed in the business amounting to \$18,120,026. For these companies the average manufacturing profit on net sales was 5.73 per cent and an capital employed in business, 5.15 per cent. Twenty-eight establishments had a manufacturing profit of more than 10 per cent on capital employed in business. The report reaches the conclusion, therefore, that the industry as a whole was in a prosperous condition during the normal times before the war. The fact that some mills are ordinarily more prosperous than others is attributed in a measure to the difference in mechanical equipment and to the inferior cost-accounting methods used in some mills. It is anticipated that the conditions in this respect will arouse as much discussion as do similar comments in the report on the hosiery industry. As to the prosperity of the industry since the war started, there is of course no question.

As in the closely related hosiery industry a very marked tendency is noticed toward direct sales from manufacturer to retailer. Direct sales now amount to more than 23 per cent of the total, and although this is considerably behind the percentage of hosiery sold direct, it represents an important increase within the last ten years. The advantage and disadvantages of direct sales are given considerable attention in the report.

The use of antiquated machinery and the failure to keep machinery in proper condition are given as causes of low profits in some mills. There have been many improvements in machinery in recent years, and mills that have continued to use the old type machines are finding themselves at a decided disadvantage, without being aware, in some cases of the real cause of the trouble.

In spite of certain adverse criticisms however, the report as a whole indicates that the knit-underwear industry is in a soundly prosperous condition and that there is no reason to suppose that the future promises anything but a continuance of that prosperity. Now that the industry has developed sufficiently to meet the enormous home demand, it is more than likely that American-made knit underwear will find its way in increasing quantities into the most promising foreign markets.

A large part of the report is devoted to capital, profit, and turnover, cost and profit by establishments, and cost and profit by succeeded units and these chapters contain many statistical tables compiled by specially engaged experts. There are, in addition, chapters on cost accounting, manufacturing processes, machinery used in the industry, working conditions, and the problems connected with establishing trade with foreign countries. The report is entitled "The Knit-Goods Industry," Miscellaneous Series No. 32, and is sold by the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, and by the District offices of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, for 20 cents a copy.

Albert H. Hickford of Newcastle is passing a few days in Boston where he will enjoy the company of his old friend Timothy P. Sullivan of Concord.

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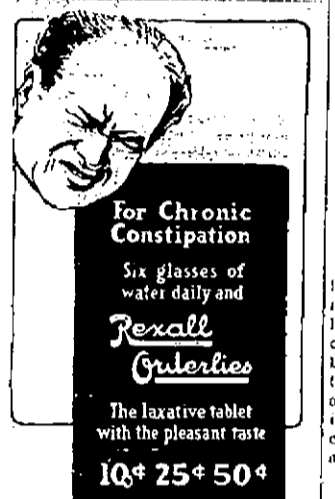
## HOLY GHOST SOCIETY IN BAD WAY

Leader Serving Time and People Living on Corn Mush.

Durham, Me., Jan. 11.—With their farms posted for taxes and with their food supplies extremely short, the people of the Kingdom, which is the official name of the Holy Ghost and U. S. Society at Shiloh, are watching and waiting for \$1,000,000 which the Rev. Frank Sandford promised them would arrive with the opening of the new year.

Mr. Sandford who is serving a long sentence at Atlanta for permitting the deaths of several persons on board the Shiloh yacht, Comet, was recently appointed to fund to carry the society through the winter. Instead of telling where to get the money he issued an edict by which his son, John Sandford, 28 years old, is placed in supreme control of the society, and gave a promise that \$65,000 would arrive by Thanksgiving and the remainder of the amount by the new year.

John Sandford has deposed all the elders, who for years have assisted his father in carrying on the affairs of the place. He has appointed his sister, Esther, to have charge of the women, and has named his cousin, Everett Knight as his assistant. They have got to raise \$1000 to pay the taxes before February 2, besides the necessary funds to feed the 600 people for the remainder of the winter. No meat or fish has been served since Christmas, and the people are living principally on cornmeal mush.



**For Chronic Constipation**  
Six glasses of water daily and  
**REXALL**  
**Gulerlies**  
The laxative tablet with the pleasant taste  
**10¢ 25¢ 50¢**

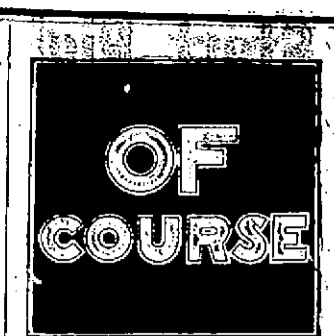
We have the exclusive selling rights for this great laxative. Trial size, 10 cents.  
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THE REXALL STORE

**TELEPHONE 1041W FOR**  
**High Grade Anthracite Coal**  
Sole Agents for Otto Coke, the Universal Fuel.  
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Orders received at Carl & Co's office will be given prompt attention.

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**OF COURSE**

Of course, if you do your own washing you imagine that we can't do the work so good—or that our methods are harder on the fabrics. This is not so. Our work is equal, if not better than the domestic work; and, actually, our equipment is gentler on the articles than the scrub board method. All of our work is returned sterilized clean—and costs but a trifle.

## NEW METHOD LAUNDRY



**OUR LIQUOR**  
Is a challenge in the name of purity against the dregs of adulteration. Our label is a guarantee that you are receiving just what you pay for. It builds up our business in the long run, though we must content ourselves with a narrow margin of profit and depend upon a large volume of business. Our cellars are stocked in the greatest abundance.

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252 Market St.



**IT IS EASIER TO HANG OUT**  
clothes than to wash them. For the small amount we charge for wet washing it pays you many times over to have us do it. Each time we save your back, your time, and with our facilities can do better work.

**Home Washing Co.**  
315 Maplewood Ave. Tel. 452W

**Get Your Car Ready for Spring**



**W. S. JACKSON,**  
111 Market Street

## First National Bank

Portsmouth, N. H.

UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY.

Statement at the Close of Business  
November 10, 1915.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Other Securities	\$923,201.21	Capital	\$150,000.00
United States Bonds	195,000.00	Surplus and Undivided Profits	83,165.25
Banking House and Fixtures	39,000.00	Circulation	150,000.00
Cash due from Banks, Federal Reserve and U. S. Treasurer	206,270.47	Deposits	979,306.43
	\$1,362,471.68		\$1,362,471.68

Safe Deposit Boxes, Annual Rental \$1.50 and Upwards.

### STORAGE VAULTS.

## Plymouth Business School WINTER TERM

Begins Monday, January 3, 1916.

Day and Evening Sessions. Commercial, English and Civil Service Courses.

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Be sure your shoes and rubbers are in good repair. We give quick service and excellent stock in our repair departments. We carry DRY-FOOT and other waterproofings for shoes. Solid leather shoes for boys and girls. Everything for the shoes.

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45 CONSECUTIVE YEARS OF PROGRESS

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TOTAL LIABILITIES \$3,149,365.31  
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**Granite State Fire Insurance Company**

Of Portsmouth, N. H.

**Paid Up Capital \$200,000**

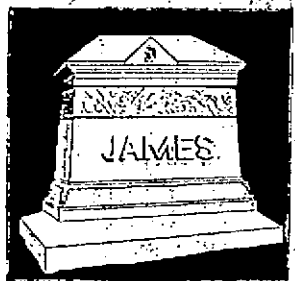
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Better have the welding of that broken auto part, machine or casting done by local experts who heat the whole part before commencing to weld so that the weld will be absolutely dependable. We take exacting care in our welding and use the finest equipment. You obtain all work when we yield for you. Try us.

**HORSE SHOEING AND JOBBING.**

**G. A. TRAFTON,**  
200 Market St., Portsmouth



Now is an opportune time to place your order for cemetery work, for delivery before Memorial Day. We have the only plant in this section for the manufacture of granite work and we have on hand a large stock of granite monuments at various prices; also marble tablets. If you are contemplating the purchase of a monument or tablet call now and inspect our stock.

**FRED C. SMALLEY,**  
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Telephone 598 for  
**FINEST COLLAR WORK**  
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We have the "Last Word"  
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**DECORATIONS**  
FURNISHED FOR ALL OCCASIONS  
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121-123 MARKET STREET, PORTSMOUTH

## BOMB HUNT ON WHITE STAR STEAMSHIP

S. S. CANOPIC SEARCHED BEFORE LEAVING BOSTON FOR THE AZORES YESTERDAY.

Boston, Jan. 11.—Extraordinary precautions were taken in connection with the sailing of the White Star liner Canopic today for the Azores, to see that no one smuggled a bomb aboard.

Every package or parcel of what ever size that went aboard the vessel was searched by guards at the gangplank. The process was a lengthy one, but no part of the work was neglected. The guards would make no explanation except to say that they were looking out for bombs, incendiaries or explosives. They would not say whether they were acting on special instructions from Washington.

A number of interesting incidents marked the search. One Greek boy appeared, with a box under his arm, thirty by twenty inches. When the guards began to rip it open he expostulated in his native tongue. They could not understand him, but continued their work. When the package was opened it revealed a large assortment of shoe blacking. The Greek, having learned the business here, was going home to set up as a boot black on his native heath.

Dr. F. B. Bostwick of Gibraltar, official dentist to the Sultan of Morocco, who boarded the vessel at New York, alighted here and did a little shopping. When he returned to the vessel he was surprised and grieved, then reconciled, to watch the guards open every one of his packages.

The search was kept up to the end, but no bombs were found.

## DANDRUFF GOES! HAIR GETS THICK, WAVY, BEAUTIFUL

Save your hair! Double its beauty in a few moments. Try this!

Hair stops coming out and every particle of dandruff disappears.

Try as you will, after an application of Dandurine, you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you are new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp. A little Dandurine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Dandurine, and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Dandurine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.

Dandurine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

**LITTLE HOPE FOR DROP IN GASOLINE**

Little hope for lower gasoline prices is held out by the Oil, Paint & Drug Reporter, which has made investigation of this situation. There is no diminution in supply, and no evidence of a combination can be seen; therefore, the high price must result from the enormous demand.

**SUGDEN BROS.**  
WINDOWS AND DOORS  
KILN DRIED FLOORING  
LIME CEMENT LUMBER  
3 GREEN STREET

**F. S. TOWLE, M. D.**  
Physician and Surgeon  
350 State St., Portsmouth  
OFFICE HOURS:  
From 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. and 7 to 9 p. m.

## NOW FOR A BATH Without An Afterchill

You're in a hurry; the bathroom's cold. Small matter—A lighted match to the gas heater, and presto—the room's warm before you finish running the water. You bathe and dry in perfect comfort. The gas heater is instantaneous, absolutely odorless and needs no regulation. Requires very little floor space.

From \$1.25 to \$5.00.

## Portsmouth Gas Co

ALWAYS AT YOUR SERVICE.

Continuously increased consumption, domestic and foreign, 1915 production of petroleum is estimated at 290,312,535 barrels, against 290,312,535 for 1914. Disturbing factor lies in statement that oil fields, yielding petroleum rich in the lighter distillate (of which gasoline is one) have decreased their yield, while fields poor in distillates have increased yield.—Boston News Bureau.

## MINUTES IN MANHATTAN

New York, Jan. 10.—If you own a fine city estate overlooking the Hudson, the prettiest estate on Manhattan Island, also a splendid home on Long Island, and within an hour and a half motorable distance of Wall Street, not to mention of beautiful places in Wisconsin and Colorado, would you be satisfied as to your housing?

Probably you would. But G. K. G. Billings was not. Looking about him from the crowded Port Truxen at his \$500,000 roadway from Riverside Drive, at his exquisite stables for a court hall, at his Manhattan hilltop truck farm, one morning he sighed. Why did he sigh? A gloomy thought had come into his active brain. "Yes, this is all right, but I have no flat. How can I be happy without a flat? How can I taste the real joy of living in this crowded city without a flat? I may be wealthy, I may win more horse races than the czar, I may win more yacht races than the King of England, but without a flat I am desolate?"

In deep agitation he fled himself to his friend, Douglas T. L. Elliman, who rents flats. He anxiously inquired whether the real estate man had any flats still unleased.

Mr. Elliman confessed that the demand for flats, what with the boom in business and all that, was remarkable. There was nothing on hand at present. But some clients of his were putting up a neat little building at Sixty-Third Street and Fifth Avenue.

Would Mr. Billings like to look over the plans? Ah, here was a copy apartment of twenty-one rooms. The rent? Only \$25,000 a year.

"Just the thing," cried the multi-millionaire. "Too bad I'll have to wait till next October to move in. And feeling somewhat relieved, he betook himself back to the cheerlessness of Tryon Hall.

Every year New York puts up a new hotel or two of 600, 600, or perhaps 800 rooms and the cry goes forth—where will the guests come from? But if you had stood in the lobby of the St Regis one day this week and heard the complaint of the prosperous citizen who had just been told at the desk that there was not a room vacant, you would have got a new idea of America's wealth and luxury.

"I have tried eight of the best hotels about here within the last hour," he said "and not one has even a half bedroom unoccupied. If that happened in my town out west the citizens would get together and build enough hotels to take everybody in—we wouldn't let the town get a black eye that way."

The automobile show had something to do with it, but old General Progressively is the real force behind the drive on the hoteliers. There is a report around that Forty-Second Street will soon have a new hotel twice as big as the largest here now. It will probably will be comfortably filled from the day it opens for like the new suburbs, New York's hotels never catch up.

Herold John Lynch, a Seventh Avenue restaurant man has just proved himself a hero and when the gold fly attack was averted by the Hyattsville committee of the Merchants' Association, by killing the first fly received in the new year.

When baby suffers with cramp, apply and give Dr. Thomas' Colicache Oil at once. Safe for children. A little goes a long way, 25c and 50c. At all drug stores.

## NEW HAMPSHIRE COLLEGE NOTES

New Hampshire College, Durham, N. H., Jan. 11.—The college will give for the benefit of the students, faculty and people of Durham the first of a series of free educational motion picture shows the evening of Tuesday, January 18th. The aim of the college is to furnish films which will instruct as well as interest and amuse. The first performance will include five pictures. The first of these is "A Knife of Fire and Liquid Air," the knife of fire being the oxy-acetylene flame. Another picture shows the birth of a flower, and dahlia culture. Another illustrates scenery in the Yellowstone Park. Another gives views in silk worm culture and the fifth is devoted to the marine monsters, the cutopus and the cuttlefish.

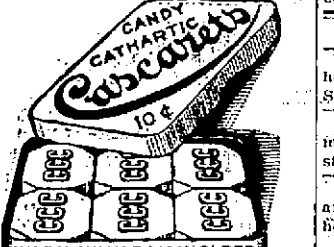
The pictures will be shown with the new motion picture apparatus of the engineering department.

Professor E. H. Groves has accepted the invitation of the National Institute for moral instruction to formulate a moral code as the representative of the State of New Hampshire. Professor Groves was suggested for this work by Henry C. Morrison, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, representative of the society in this state. The society believes that the way to meet present-day social problems is to increase the ethical efficiency of the schools. It has accordingly arranged for a moral code competition contest with a prize of \$5,000 for the winner. All of the codes written will be published. The code is to furnish a definite guide for those in the schools who have the task of moral instruction.

## BEST FOR LIVER, BOWELS, STOMACH, HEADACHE, COLDS

They live the liver and bowels and straighten you right up.

Don't be bilious, constipated, sick, with breath bad and stomach sour.



Tonight sure! Take Candy Cathartic and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Wake up with your head clear, stomach sweet, breath right and feeling fine. Get rid of sick headache, biliousness, constipation, furred tongue, sour stomach, bad odors. Clear your skin, brighten your eyes, quicken your step and feel like doing a full day's work. Candy cathartics are better than salts, pills or calomel because they don't shock the liver or gripe the bowels or cause inconvenience all the next day. Mothers should give Candy Cathartic anytime as they can not injure the thirty feet of tender bowels.

## FOR A MERCHANT MARINE

Boston, Jan. 11.—Charles W. Morse, head of the Hudson Navigation Company, is organizing a big shipping company, which is intended as the beginning of a United States Merchant Marine, touching all ports in South America and Europe. Thirteen vessels are said to have been acquired at the present time at a cost of more than \$3,000,000.

The sailing route of twelve of the newly acquired vessels will be between New York and Archangel for the present, the thirteen having been assigned to coastwise trade with South American ports.

## BURNED USING KEROSENE

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 11.—Using kerosene to heat a fire in his room at 26 Central street today, came near proving fatal to Benjamin G. Freeman of 350 Maple street, who is in St. Luke's hospital in a serious condition. Freeman's face and right hand are badly burned. The blast of flame burned the hair from his head. His clothing afire, Freeman rushed to his store and rolled himself in the snow on the street, when persons went to his aid and the flames were extinguished. Freeman is about 26 years of age and has two children.

It may be a long time before three acts as fine as these appearing today at the Colonial again come to this city on the one bill. Three headline attractions make for a pretty good program.

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

You Get RESULTS From Them

Just Phone 37 3 Lines 1 Week 40¢

TRY ONE TODAY AND YOU WILL BE CONVINCED.

## HELP WANTED

**MALE HELP WANTED**—Salesmen to call on planters with our highest grade standard garden and grass seeds. Eleven consecutive years of increasing business, enables us to offer a permanent position with good income. Experience unnecessary. Cobb Co. Farm, Kittery, Me. he 18, 19.

**GIRL WANTED**—For general housework. Must be neat and good plain cook; references required. For appointment telephone 952W, the Cook Farm, Kittery, Me. he Jan 11, 19.

**WANTED**—Room and board by a respectable man in private family. Address Z, this office. he 15, 16.

**WANTED**—Reliable, industrious man to sell a "meritorious" article required by every person; good salary and commission; selling experience not necessary if willing to learn. Address for interview, General Agent, C. Herald Office.

**WANTED**—Lady agents to sell a meritorious article; good salary and commission; excellent proposition for industrious ladies. Address, General Agent, C. Herald Office.

**EXPERIENCED HOUSEKEEPER** and all round cook desires position; references furnished. Address Mrs. M. M. Bryant, 31 Haven Court, he 1-6, 19.

**HELP WANTED**—Women, let us help you make money selling guaranteed hosiery to wear. Full or part time. Big profits. Experience unnecessary. Address International Mills, Box 122, Norristown, Pa. he 429, 89.

**FURNITURE MOVING**—Both local and long distance, with heavy auto truck and handlers of long experience. Prices moderate. The Portsmouth Furniture Co., Cor. Deer and Vaughan streets, near B. & M. depot, he 16, 17.

**WE WANT YOU**—When in Exeter to eat at Scannell's Cafe, 147 Water street, formerly Mackay's. Good home cooking. Tip one night. he 17, 19.

**TO LET**—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply at 111 Village St. or tel. 766R. he Jan 11, 19.

**TO LET**—Front chamber, with all modern improvements, 187 1/2 Village street. he Jan 7, 19.

**TO LET**—Two furnished rooms, light and heat. Apply at 609 Union street, he Jan 7, 19.

**TO LET**—Three nice, large offices, well lighted and heated, Herald and Chronicle building. Enquire at this office. he n 5, 17.

**TO LET**—Tenement of three rooms, \$8.00. Apply at this office, he 113, 17.

**TO LET**—Tenement of six rooms, rent \$10.50. Apply at this office, he 113, 17.

**FOR SALE**—Pine room, with ten steam-heated rooms connected, surrounded by large shoe factories, some working day and night; just the place for man and wife to make money. Address owner, Mrs. Beals, 70 Field St., Montello, Mass. he Jan 10, 19.

**FOR SALE**—Baldwin apples, the juicy kind your children like. Now is the time to eat them. The price is right. Phone 952W, Cook Farm, Kittery, Me. he 19, 19.

**FOR SALE**—Pony sleigh, 2 seats, strong, well made, price, \$12.50. Esley, Rye, N. H. Telephone, he 19, 19.

**FOR SALE**—Twenty cords of dry hardwood. Joseph T. Holmes, Tel. 672W.

**FOR SALE**—Boarding and rooming business. Best location in the city. Address P. O. Box 143, City. he 19, 19.

**FOR SALE**—Dry wood at Cook Farm, Kittery, Me. Lowest prices, prompt delivery. Tel. 952W. he 19, 19.

**LOST**—On Sunday morning, between 507th street and the Christian Shore fountain, a package containing a bath robe. Finder will be rewarded by returning package to this office. he 31, 19.

**LOST**—On Tuesday afternoon, somewhere between Cabot street and City Theatre, a cameo pin, only with white head; finder will receive suitable reward if same is returned to this office. he 31-11.

**STRAYED AWAY**—From Belle Isle, a Russian wolfhound. Finder please telephone 660. he Jan 11, 19.

**Impure blood runs you down**—making you an easy victim for disease. For pure blood and sound digestion—Burdock Blood Purifier. At all drug stores. Price, \$1.00.

## U. S. NAVY YARD FERRY

TIME TABLE  
In Effect Oct. 1, 1915.

Week Days.  
Navy Yard—7:50, 8:35, 9:15, 10:00, 10:30, 11:15, 11:40 a. m.; 12:05, 12:45, 1:05, 1:35, 2:15, 2:45, 3:20, 4:00, 4:20, 4:40, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30, 7:10, 7:45, 8:10, 10:00, 10:30, 11:15 p. m.

Sundays and Holidays.  
Navy Yard—9:00, 10:00, 10:15, 11:30 a. m.; 12:15, 12:45, 1:00, 2:00, 2:30, 4:00, 5:15, 5:45, 6:20 p. m.

Holidays.  
Navy Yard—7:20, 7:45, 8:10, 10:00, 10:30, 11:15 p. m.

Portsmouth—7:30, 7:55, 9:20, 10:10, 11:00, 11:20 p. m.

Additional Trips to Week Day Service for Saturdays.

From June 15th to Sept. 15th.  
Navy Yard—7:35 instead of 7:50; 8:00 a. m.; 12:10 instead of 12:05 p. m. Portsmouth—7:45 a. m.; 12:20 instead of 12:15 p. m.

NOTE—Enlisted men of the Navy and Marine Corps authorized to use the Yard Ferry may use it for all trips except those marked.

## TIME TABLE

WINTER SCHEDULE  
In Effect Dec. 5, 1915.  
Subject to change without notice.

Portsmouth Ferry Leaves Connecting With Cars.  
For Elliot, Dover and South Berwick—6:55, 7:55 a. m. and every hour until 9:55 p. m. Then 10:55 p. m. Sunday—First trip 7:55 a. m.; Sunday—9:55 a. m.; 12:55 and 3:55 p. m.

\*Runs to Kennard's Corner regularly and to Rosemary Junction when there are passengers.

For Kittery and Kittery Point—6:55, 7:55 a. m. and every half hour until 10:55 p. m. Sunday—First trip, 7:55 a. m.

For York Village, York Harbor, York Beach and Ogunquit, via P. K. & Y. Division—7:55, 8:55 a. m.; 12:35, 1:35, 2:35, 3:35, 4:35, 5:35, 6:35, 7:35, 8:35, 9:35, 10:35, 11:35 a. m.; 1:35, 2:35, 3:35, 4:35, 5:35, 6:35, 7:35, 8:35, 9:35, 10:35, 11:35 p. m.

\*Runs to York Beach only.

\*Runs to York Harbor Postoffice only.

\*Runs to Biddeford only.

\*Runs to Ogunquit only.

\*Runs to York Harbor Postoffice Saturdays only.

## ATLANTIC SHORE RAILWAY.

## CEMETERY LOTS

CARED FOR AND TUNING DONE

With increased facilities the subscribers again are prepared to take charge of and keep in order such lots in any of the cemeteries of the city as may be entrusted to their care. They will also give careful attention to the tuning and grading of them; also to the cleaning of monuments and headstones, and the removal of bodies in addition to work at the cemeteries they will do tuning and grading in the city on short notice.

Cemetery lots for sale also Loan and Tunes.

Orders left at residence, corner of Richards Avenue and South Street, or by mail with Oliver A. Ham, 54 Market Street, will be given prompt attention.

**M. J. GIFFIN & SON.**

## Do You Throw Your Money Away?

If you do not, save it by bringing your old clothes to us to be renewed and repaired. We can many times give you an extra year's wear out of a suit you consider hopeless. Our cleaning department is as near perfection as scientific knowledge and modern equipment can make it. In our dyeing department we make a specialty of turning out work at two days' notice.

**SUSSMAN'S DYE HOUSE**  
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# ROYAL WORCESTER NO INCREASE YET FOR SCHOOL TEACHERS

Special 223



The most distinctive style features are embodied in this new ROYAL WORCESTER Special. The medium skirt, clearly curved waist and new medium high bust assure perfect style and comfort to the wearer.

The design, material and workmanship are equal to those of models costing two or three times as much. We can offer only a limited quantity, but the size range is complete, so you had better come early and be one of the first to buy a 223 SPECIAL. Price only \$1.

## THE D. F. BORTHWICK STORE

### LOCAL DASHES

Try Harmon's Tomato Sallads. Great Day Smelts at Clark's Branch. No session of the municipal court was held today.

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch. Tel. 133. You will enthuse over this difference when you take your first ride in the Cadillac.

Many of the legal fraternity are in Exeter today in attendance at the superior court.

The grand jury at the present session of the superior court had very little work to do.

pretty smoothly with it so far. No reports of a hot box on the water wagon yet. Things must be going on.

Special supper, fish chowder, baked beans, pie, cake etc. Court Street church, Thursday, 6 p. m. Tickets 25c.

Lobsters and fish of all kinds brought by our own boats, fresh every day. El. Jameson and Sons, Tel. 245.

Local horsemen are hoping for a snow fall of several inches which would make excellent sleighing.

Updetering; hair mattresses renovated. Mergeson Bros. Tel. 570.

It is reported that the musical stock company slated for the Portsmouth Theatre may report here next week.

The police blotter on Wednesday morning contained the name of one stranger and one for safe keeping.

Pool Tables, \$3 and \$5 each. O-Cedar and Wizard Floor Mops. Matthews Hardware Store, Opp. P. O.

Dr. Herbert L. Taylor has appeared on the streets with a Ford coupe, which appears admirably suited for his work.

Local physicians state that about one-half of the population of the city is suffering with either colds or the grippe.

The Wenhams Five play Manchester high school at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium next Saturday evening and should draw a big attendance.

There is a distinct difference between motoring as you have known it and motoring as provided by the Eight-Cylinder Cadillac.

The Wenhams basketball team will play the team representing the Manchester high school at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium on Saturday evening, January 15.

Two naval prisoners were discharged from the naval prison on Seavey's Island on Tuesday afternoon and left on the late afternoon train for their homes in Chicago.

Police Officers Murphy and Doherty on Tuesday picked up Patrick Ryan on Water street, who was charged with being a straggler from one of the war vessels at the navy yard.

**MEETINGS WELL ATTENDED**

The revival meeting at the Methodist church on Tuesday evening was well attended. This evening the meeting will be for men only and the speaker will be Rev. B. M. Lockrow, head of the Men's Mission, Tremont Temple, Boston, Mass.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank all those who in any way assisted us in our recent sad bereavement and also for the beautiful floral tributes.

MRS. EDWARD H. MACGOWAN  
MISS LEONA MACGOWAN  
MRS. EMILIE E. JENKINS.

**CUT HIS HAND.**

A young man named Coleman, while chopping wood at Dover Point on Tuesday, inflicted a bad cut in the fleshy part of his left hand with the axe. He came to this city where his injuries were dressed by Dr. H. L. Taylor.

## Recommendations Submitted by Committee to Board of Instruction are Laid Over Until Next Meeting For Further Discussion

At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Instruction held last evening in the office of the superintendent the report of the committee on teachers' salaries, submitted at the last meeting was again laid over without action. The committee in their report, after careful study of the situation, recommended several changes in the scale of salaries paid to some of the teachers; recommending that they be raised in many instances so as to nearer meet the salaries paid teachers doing similar work in Massachusetts cities and other cities in this state.

At last evening's meeting the recommendation of the committee were opposed by Judge Calvin Page and Mr. McCarthy. Judge Page presented a lengthy, well prepared paper in opposition to the proposed changes, stating that the city at the present time was not in a financial condition to consider the increase.

After considerable discussion on the subject the meeting voted to lay it over until the next regular meeting when some final action will likely take place.

The meeting was presided over by Mayor Samuel T. Ladd for the first time, the Mayor being chairman of the board, ex-officio. John L. Mitchell, the only new member of the board, was also present for his first session. The members present were Messrs. Page, Houghton, McCarthy, Gooding, Thayer, and Mitchell, and Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Hewitt and Mrs. Benfield.

The usual bills and reports were read and accepted and the financial report for the year was made including the regular monthly report.

This report was as follows:

Expenses of General Control \$159,415

Expenses of Instruction Salaries of Teachers and Supt. \$14,971.21

Text Books 1033.36

Pupils' Supplies 1747.53

Other expenses of Instruction 753.67

Expenses of Operation \$13505.70

Salaries of Janitors 4350.17

Fuel 3384.23

Water 350.55

Light and Power 166.08

Janitors' Supplies \$84.15

Other expenses of operation 216.75

\$5760.53

Expenses of Maintenance of Plant Building Repairs 2661.50

Equipment Repairs 217.56

Outlays \$2273.36

New Equipment 445.13

Total Expenditures for Year \$61,588.25

Balance Carried Forward 26.55

\$61614.20

Cost Per Pupil of Average Membership

Expenses of General Control 1915 .70 1914 .71 1913 .77

Expenses of Instruction 23.06 23.75 24.61

Expenses of Operation of Plant 3.31 4.08 3.57

Expenses of Maintenance of Plant 1.13 1.10 1.42

Outlays for New Equipment .22 .64 .11

All Expenditures \$30.51 \$30.31 \$30.25

In the above is included water .17 .14

Principal Howe of the Whipple school was authorized to procure a piano on rental for the school.

Supt. Pringle reported that the first of February Miss McDaniel became principal of the Haven school and he was of the opinion that by a rearrangement of scholars at the Whipple school they would be able to go through the year without filling her place in that school.

The annual report of Superintendent Pringle was made and adopted as the report of the Board of Instruction to go to the City Council. Mr. Pringle read parts of the report outlining some of the new recommendations. In his financial report he showed that the cost per pupil for the past year showed a slight increase; that is, in 1914 it was \$30.31 per pupil while in 1915 it was \$30.51 an increase of 23 per cent.

This was with the opening of a new eight room building. He also showed that the average cost per pupil for the past ten years was \$30.30 showing that despite the increase in salaries and cost of materials in the past ten years the cost per pupil had increased but 24 cents over the average. The general average for the entire state of New Hampshire is \$28.35 so that this city ranks low with other cities.

He also took up the matter of a new course of studies at the Whipple grammar school and recommended that some changes be made at the grammar school building, and this matter was not once left to the Committee on School Houses with power. Also, he recommended that running water be installed in the Plains school and that

## REVOLVER CLUB TO BE ORGANIZED

Preliminary Meeting Held on Thursday Evening—Many Good Shots Among Members.

A meeting of those interested in the formation of a Revolver club was held on Tuesday evening and arrangements made for the perfection of a permanent club to be affiliated with the United States Revolver Association.

A committee consisting of Messrs. William Locklin, Mark W. Anthony and Philip P. Webber was appointed to bring in a list of officers and a membership list at the next meeting, Tuesday evening, January 18.

The club has a range in city hall basement which is very good. It is 20 yards and a new target bucking has been placed in position. Since this range has been installed the members of the police department have had the use of it and the practice they have secured has made the force much more efficient in the use of the revolver.

There are some excellent shots in this city and it is possible that from the local club a team may be picked to represent the city at some of the big meets.

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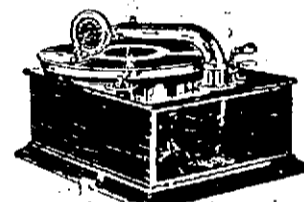
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